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A Full Line of Chairs.

Our fall showing of handsome chairs includes the very best makes in most desirable styles and finish. A full line, from fancy chairs for parlor to low, comfortable rockers for sewing room, at winning prices.

One pictured above is in Mahogany, highly polished, upholstered in green silk velour. **\$10.00.**

Harris & Shenault
THE FURNITURE MEN

HOMES

For Many Farmers in the Irrigated Area.

When we read that the National Government is constructing irrigation systems that when completed will irrigate a total of 3,198,000 acres, we are impressed by the magnitude of the figures, but to gain a really adequate conception of what the addition of these acres to the productive agricultural area of a country means, we must consider it from the standpoint of production and possible population.

Irrigated farms are, as a rule, small. The ready command of water insures against drought, but it enables the farmer to practice a more intensive form of agriculture and to secure a larger return from his land. Because of this fact a less number of irrigated acres is necessary to the support of a family and the creation of a comfortable bank account.

In the Sacramento Valley, in California, where the next session of the National Irrigation Congress will be held, the average size of an irrigated farm, as shown by the last census, is about twenty acres. Adopting this as a unit we find that the area which Uncle Sam proposes to irrigate will subdivide into a total of 156,400 farms, enough to supply a very considerable number of farmers with comfortable homes.

The Sacramento Valley is by no means a land of twenty-acre irrigated farms. It is a land of great unirrigated wheat fields, the land of great combined harvesters, mammoth traction engines, gang plows and long mule teams. It is going to be a land of small farms. Private enterprise is building irrigation systems here and elsewhere in California. The National Reclamation Service will shortly begin the construction of a small unit of a great system contemplated for this valley and for the San Joaquin Valley, which together comprise the great interior plain of California.

Worked Wonders.

Mrs. C. P. Wiggins, Lexington, Ky., says: "I gave my fowls Bourbon Poultry Cure when they were sick and it certainly worked wonders."

Sold and guaranteed by Wm. S. Lloyd.

The official announcement that the Jamestown Exposition is now finished may recall the fact to some readers that such a show was opened a few months ago.

NO MORE DELAYS.

Judge Moody Says Feud Cases Will Be Tried In October.

Judge W. B. Moody returned on Tuesday, August 27th, to Eminence from Sandy Hook, where he continued the cases against the alleged murderers of Dr. B. D. Cox until October. "The absence of John Smith hung up the trials this time," said Judge Moody. "If Smith had been there I should certainly have insisted on the trial proceeding, and indeed he was the only witness which the prosecution claimed they could not proceed without. Mr. Waugh submitted a list of sixteen witnesses for the prosecution which he needed, and stated in open court that if they were not there in October he would himself make a motion to dismiss the cases."

"The list of witnesses wanted by the prosecution has been reduced since the last trial," said Judge Moody, "from about sixty-three to sixteen."

It was suggested to Judge Moody that he might be called on now to act as Special Judge to try Caleb Powers. "No, siree," was his reply, "no more of these spectacular cases for me. I've had enough with these Jackson cases. Don't you know," he continued, "when I received my commission to go to Sandy Hook I thought the case against Jim Hargis was the only one I had to try, and you can imagine my chagrin when I got through with that to find I had three more."—Lexington Leader, August 28.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it. 8-4t

New Field for Roosevelt.

On the whole, the appropriate job for Mr. Roosevelt when he needs another one will be the pacification of Morocco. That always lively country will stand a great deal of that sort of pacification with a club which is a specialty and favorite exercise of his.

Killed By Lightning.

In the last few weeks stock to the value of more than \$1,000 have been killed by lightning in Boyle county.

Thousands of peasants are destitute and starving in consequence of the disastrous floods that have visited the central provinces of Japan during the past few days.

W. S. TAYLOR.

Governor Beckham and Attorney Franklin Offer Protection to Him.

An armed military escort to protect him is the immunity which Gov. Beckham and Commonwealth's Attorney Robert B. Franklin offer to ex-Gov. William S. Taylor to return to Kentucky from his refuge in Indiana to testify in the coming fourth trial of Caleb Powers, charged with the murder of Senator Goebel.

Following the receipt of a letter from Gov. Beckham in which the executive pledges his every aid to Franklin in his offer of immunity to Taylor to return to Kentucky, the prosecutor addressed a letter and mailed a letter to the ex-Governor Tuesday night as follows:

From Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 27, 1907. To W. S. Taylor, Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir:—in the public prints I have read a statement above your signature, bearing date Indianapolis, Ind., August 23, 1907, from which I quote the following:

"To the Public:—Some time ago there appeared in the public print what purported to be a statement of Robert B. Franklin, Commonwealth's Attorney, in which it is said that if I would return to Kentucky to testify in the Caleb Powers case, waiving my constitutional rights, he and other State officers would guarantee me immunity from arrest during the time necessary for me to go there, testify and return. Later on the press contained what was published as a letter from him to Governor Beckham, asking the Governor to co-operate with him in guaranteeing this immunity.

"I have waited for more than a week and have received from neither of them any communication concerning the matter. This fact indicates that the proposition was not made in good faith and mainly for newspaper talk and political effect."

I now desire to say to you that, should your presence be desired by Caleb Powers, at his coming fourth trial, as a witness for him, if you, waiving your privilege to decline to answer any question because the answer might tend to incriminate you in the conspiracy to murder William Goebel, will come to Kentucky, appear in the Scott County Court as a witness for Caleb Powers and subject yourself to an examination and cross-examination, you shall be immune from arrest during that period of time you are necessarily present in Kentucky for that purpose.

In guaranteeing you this immunity from arrest from the time and for the purpose above indicated, I have asked the co-operation of the Governor of Kentucky and have just received from Governor Beckham a letter, the original of which I enclose herein, as follows:

August 27, 1907.

Hon. Robert B. Franklin, Commonwealth's Attorney, Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:—In response to your communication of August 15, in reference to the matter of assuring Wm. S. Taylor immunity from arrest in the event of his coming to Kentucky to testify in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Caleb Powers, I wish to say to you that in every way possible I shall co-operate with you in seeing that said Taylor, if he comes to testify in that case, shall be protected from arrest and allowed to return to Indiana. There is not the slightest question that I, the Governor of Kentucky, and you, as Commonwealth's Attorney of the district in which he is indicted,

can absolutely insure him such immunity from arrest and a safe return to Indiana. You may therefore rely implicitly upon my aid, if needed, to carry out your assurance to him of this immunity.

Very respectfully yours,

J. C. W. BECKHAM,
Governor of Kentucky.

Should you desire it, such military escort as you may deem necessary to your safety, will be furnished by the Kentucky authorities while you are within the State.

Referring to your proposition made in the published statement of August 23rd, hereinbefore mentioned, in so far as they relate to a trial of yourself, I desire to say that the Commonwealth of Kentucky, so long as I continue to prosecute its pleas, will never agree that you shall name the judge, select the jury and prescribe qualifications for witnesses who may testify against you. When you are brought to trial on the indictment now pending against you in the Franklin Circuit Court, if I be the prosecuting officer the procedure shall be according to the laws of the State for such cases made and provided.

Sincerely,

(Signed.)

ROBERT B. FRANKLIN,
Commonwealth's Attorney Fourth Circuit Court District of Kentucky.

WHY SO WEAK?

Kidney Troubles May be Sapping Your Life Away. Mt. Sterling People Have Learned This Fact.

When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent cause, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers backache, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, look to the kidneys for the cause of it all. Keep the kidneys well and they will keep you well. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and keep them well. Here is Mt. Sterling testimony to prove it.

Samuel T. Green, of High street, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were worth their weight in gold to me. That is my opinion and the following are my reasons: For a good many years I suffered with kidney trouble brought on I believe, by straining myself at heavy lifting. The dull aching across the small of my back and the sharp pains if I stooped or straightened, made life anything but pleasant to me. There was also a very annoying and distressing urinary difficulty particularly observable at night. I took all kinds of medicine supposed to be good for kidney trouble, and doctored a great deal, but without obtaining noticeable benefit until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills. The change the first box made in my condition was surprising and I continued the treatment by taking another, when all symptoms of disordered kidneys disappeared and I felt myself cured."

Plenty more proof like this from Mt. Sterling people. Call at F. C. Duerson's drug store and ask what customers report. For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. 8-2t

Beyond Medical Aid.

G. D. Weathers, Avon, Ky., says: "My hogs were so badly diseased with cholera, I did not think medical aid could possibly save them. I gave them Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy and it cured them without a single loss."

Sold and guaranteed by Wm. S. Lloyd.

HAZELRIGG & SON, Dry Goods, Carpets, Etc.

Look at their French Voiles in exquisite colorings, splendid quality, and the best value ever offered. Three Hundred Yards of GIVERNAND'S black 36-inch Taffetas at OLD PRICES as long as they last. Wear like Buckskin.

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Royal line of extra Super Ingrain Carpets at LAST YEAR'S PRICES. Rugs and Druggets in Brussels, Axminster and Sloan's Imperial.

Mattings in great Variety. Hazelrigg & Son have no SHODDY in any of their departments. They deal in only dependable, good goods. There's no kick coming should you buy goods of

HAZELRIGG & SON.

CLARENCE LEBUS

Writes in Reference to Storing Tobacco Samples.

Clarence LeBus, president of the Burley Tobacco Society, of Cynthiana, has written a letter to John G. Cramer, secretary of the Lexington Commercial Club, suggesting that burley tobacco samples be stored in that city.

If the storage of burley samples is secured for Lexington it would mean the establishment there of another warehouse and would be a long step toward the ambition of that city to be the biggest burley market in the world.

Paper to be Moved.

The plant of the Campton Courier has been moved to Jackson to be used in the publication of the Breathitt County Democrat, the new paper to be established there.

A Knock.

She—Did your wife scold you for spending so much time with me at the party last night?

He—Oh, no; she said that was punishment enough.—Yonkers Statesman.

A New Investigation.

"I have read that some genius of a shirtmaker has invented a shirt without buttons."

"Do you call that a novelty? I have worn them without buttons ever since my wife became devoted to the Cause of women!"—[H] Motto per Ridere.

A Valuable Servant.

Baron (heavily in debt, and arranging a supper for some friends) John, John, I am in despair! I had arranged for everything on credit except the wine, and that I absolutely cannot get without ready money!

John—Oh, don't worry about that, sir! I once worked for a wine merchant. I shall make a few bottles at once!—Blatter.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound. 8-4t

Being Used.

She was pretty and the drug clerk was glad to sell her a stamp. Also to weigh her letter.

Also to lick the stamp and affix it to the envelope.

"Put it on upside down, please," she simpered. "That means something to Charlie."

Then the drug clerk lost interest.

To Collect Big Claim.

Capt. C. C. Calhoun has been retained to prosecute a claim of the State of Missouri against the Federal Government for about two million dollars. If successful he receives ten per cent.

Piles! Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding, Ulcerated and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by Thomas Kennedy for 50c and \$1.00. 20-1-17.

There is no Guess Work at this Store

There are no "ifs" and "ands" about a transaction with us. Our proposition is as simple as A. B. C. We propose to sell you safety in the shape of

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